



FOUNDER AND COMPANY CAPABILITY STATEMENT

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FOUNDER'S SENIOR ADVISORY PROFILE

[Leslie Ann Dauphin, PhD](#), is a retired senior CDC executive with 20+ years of service, most recently as founding director of the Public Health Infrastructure Center, leading national initiatives across all 50 states, territories, and tribal nations. A microbiologist by background, she co-founded CDC's Laboratory Leadership Service and brings deep expertise in the U.S. public health system, laboratory modernization, and workforce development. She serves as an Adjunct Professor at Meharry Medical College's School of Global Health and is the Founder and Principal of [EXEC Coaching Network LLC](#), a curated network of independent public health consultants and certified coaches. A decorated U.S. Army paratrooper and Persian Gulf War veteran, she brings a distinguished record of national-level leadership and an unwavering commitment to a resilient public health workforce.

COMPANY DATA

- SAM.gov Registered: Active (expires July 19, 2027) | UEI: URGNWQB59C45 | CAGE Code: 22Z18 | DUNS: 138964850
- Primary NAICS: 541611 – Administrative Management and General Management Consulting Services
- Secondary NAICS: 541690 – Other Scientific and Technical Consulting Services; 611430 – Professional and Management Development Training; 611710 – Educational Support Services
- Business [Certifications](#): Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB) and Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB).

FOUNDER CORE COMPETENCIES

Strategic Advisory & Public Health Sector Insight

- 20+ years of experience and executive-level leadership within a federal public health agency
- Deep knowledge of HHS, DoD, and cross-agency mission priorities and operational models
- Translates complex public-sector needs into actionable strategies aligned with client service offerings
- Advises on the public health system, workforce development, and national capacity-building initiatives

Engagement Strategy, Capture Support & Opportunity Shaping

- Leads early engagement with strategic partners, public health organizations, and interagency networks
- Drives capture planning including solution development, teaming strategies, win themes, and competitive positioning
- Conducts requirements analysis, market research, and capability alignment for upcoming public sector solicitations

Laboratory Systems & Public Health Laboratory Surge Capacity

- Provides technical advisory on public health laboratory operations across public health agencies
- Expert in laboratory workflows, biosafety practices, high-consequence infectious pathogens, and quality management systems
- Leads laboratory modernization, preparedness, and surge capacity planning, including LIMS implementation, data interoperability, and emergency response coordination

Public Sector Contracting

- Advises on pre-award and post-award activities across federal civilian, defense, and public health agencies at all levels
- Interprets RFPs, RFIs, NOFOs, cooperative agreements, grants, and public-health-specific solicitations
- Contributes to proposal development, including technical volumes, management approaches, and past performance narratives
- Versed in FAR, DFARS, HHS acquisition regulations, and state, local, and tribal procurement policies

COMPANY CAPABILITIES

Strategic Initiatives & Special Projects

- Leads cross-functional initiatives requiring senior oversight and strategic direction
- Supports enterprise-level planning, modernization, and transformation efforts for public health agencies and organizations nationwide
- Conducts strategic assessments and develops implementation frameworks

Independent Consultant Network

- Ten independent consultants, including three ICF-certified coaches, all of whom hold graduate degrees spanning public health and health-related professions and bring 10+ years of specialized experience
- Expertise across leadership and systems thinking, communication, policy strategy, data analytics and assessment, program evaluation, health equity, epidemiology, and clinical practice
- Several members teach graduate students at accredited universities and medical colleges
- Matches vetted independent consultants to prime partner and agency engagements by domain expertise
- Gives prime partners scalable access to specialized public health expertise beyond a single point of contact
- Coaching is offered independently through each certified coach's own practice

Epidemiology, Data & Evaluation

- Applies epidemiologic methods, surveillance, and study design to inform decisions
- Conducts data analysis and assessment to measure community health needs and program reach
- Designs and leads program evaluations aligned with public health accreditation standards

Policy, Governance & Regulatory Advisory

- Provides expert input on policy strategy, development, interpretation, and implementation
- Designs governance structures, decision-making frameworks, and accountability models
- Advises on appropriations strategy, regulatory alignment, compliance considerations, and risk mitigation

Facilitated Engagements

- Competency- and PHAB-aligned workshops, retreats, and conferences with pre/post evaluation

Academic Partnerships

- Graduate-level curriculum development, course design, and instruction

PAST PERFORMANCE

- Abt Global LLC: Technical advisory and capture support for federal biosafety and biosecurity pursuits
- Prime partner (name withheld): Strategic advisory for a federal public health agency
- Meharry Medical College, School of Global Health: Graduate course design and instruction

